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## PRIMARY

Four Weeks Off and Democrats Assured of a Representative Ticket.

Hert and Searey Can't Excite Sympathy for Morrow and His Writings.

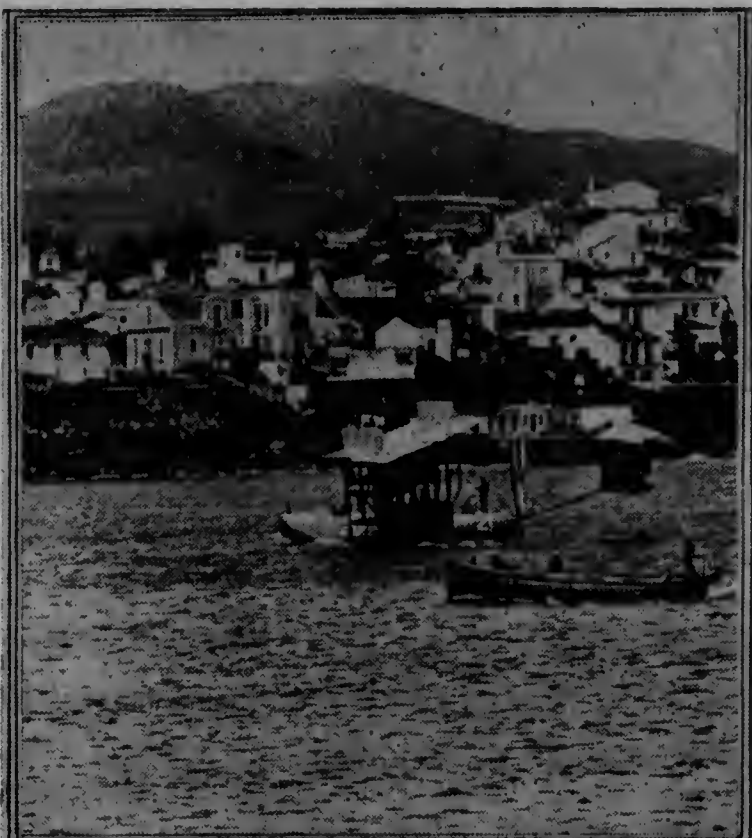
Machinations of Bingham Press Draws Rebuke from Teachers and the Press.

A STRONG LOCAL TICKET.

The State political races for both parties are now made up and with the primary four weeks off added interest is being shown. The only contest in the Republican ranks is that for the nomination of Attorney General. George W. Jolly, a leader of long standing in the G. O. P., refused to bow to the dictates of the Hertz-Searey machine and will buck the machine in the August primary against Charles I. Dawson, who is the choice of the hand-pickers at the Lexington convention. But putting gloom into Jolly on primary day isn't worrying the Republican machine leaders half as much as the sagging boom of Morrow, the candidate for Governor, and Bosses Hert and Searey are at their wits' end trying to devise some remedy to save the fast slipping oratorical star. The Republican machine leaders opened their campaign with the pitiful plea of "right of the wrongs of 1915," and say back to see how indignant the voters of Kentucky would become when they thought of the wrongs of "Howdy Ed, the candidate for Governor, and his friends." It didn't take the Democratic press and voters throughout the State very long to get the number of the Courier-Journal and Times as to the efforts of these papers to knife the Democratic ticket in the interest of Morrow. The toadying to Republican Boss Hert in the Bingham press was first tipped by the Courier-Journal and Times as to the efforts of these papers to knife the Democratic ticket in the interest of Morrow. The toadying to Republican Boss Hert in the Bingham press was first tipped by the Courier-Journal and Times as to the efforts of these papers to knife the Democratic ticket in the interest of Morrow. The toadying to Republican Boss Hert in the Bingham press was first tipped by the Courier-Journal and Times as to the efforts of these papers to knife the Democratic ticket in the interest of Morrow.

The State Democratic candidates are pleased with the situation and are making strenuous campaigns for the primary. Some of the most active ones are W. H. Shanks for Lieutenant Governor, Henry Bostworth and J. P. W. Brouse for Attorney General, Alvin Steger for Clerk of the Court of Appeals and right here in the Fifth district seems united for the popular Owen county man. Prof. R. S. Bunk, for Superintendent of Public Schools, is going strong. The name applies to Ryland C. Musick, Mr. Musick was the guest of the Shelby Democratic Club in this city last week and brought down the house with a stirring address. Local Democracy can well afford to be proud of the ticket selected for the general election, all of whom are to be nominated in the primary without opposition with the exception of one or two cases. This is an indication of party harmony and a harbinger of good results in November. Democrats of all factions have shown a willingness to fall in behind Chairman Frank McGrath, and they have confidence in his ability to pilot them to victory. The nominees for State Senator are Charles Knight in the Thirty-seventh district and Lawrence Mackey in the Twenty-third. For Legislature—Kendrick Lewis, Fifty-first; Ben C. Beckman, Aug. Hanke, Fifty-third; L. Sherloy Cunliffe, Fifty-fourth; Judge Muir Weissinger, Fifty-fifth; Ben Sachs, Fifty-sixth; Henry Kraft, Fifty-seventh; and James Linton, Fifty-eighth. For County Commissioners, Dr. H. E. Meckling, Joseph Nevin and Jas. Caldwell.

The General Council nominees are R. H. Alexander, Fred W. Hardwick, Jas. P. Gregory, G. L. Watkins, Dr. R. B. Gilbert, Thos. J. Campbell, J. Wm. Miller, Gabe J. Felsenthal, B. J. Campbell, Jr., E. J. Cooney, Joe Overberg and Wallace McKay. For Councilmen—First ward, Clem Thel-Councilmen; Second ward, Wm. Karst, Jos. A. Young; Third ward, V. K. Ecker, Leo J. Sandman; Fourth ward, Wm. D. Meyers, John Young; Fifth ward, Arthur Kaiten-bacher, Jack B. Smith; Sixth ward, Lee Hamilton, Sam Lorch; Seventh ward, E. S. Courtney, E. J. Parker; Eighth ward, T. J. Morrow, John H. Hennessy; Ninth ward, John Ar-



SEAPLANE AT MOMENT OF COMPLETING GREAT OCEAN FLIGHT. The successful NC-4, commanded by Lieutenant Commander Read, rushing along the water to her anchorage at Lisbon, Spain, after her flight from Ponta Delgada.

mour, Geo. Rohrman; Tenth ward, Ernest Wright, Jos. Pruitt; Eleventh ward, Luke Mannion, Albert Resner; Twelfth ward, Albert Nesbit, R. K. Walker.

### MASS FOR BOY SCOUTS.

The Associated Press correspondent writes from Rome that on the site where once Christians were offered as the prey of wild beasts to amuse the Roman populace in the Roman coliseum where Caesar sacrificed the faithful to satisfy a pagan lust, a Christian service has at last been held. It was celebrated recently in memory of the Boy Scouts of the Italian army who had done messenger service at the front and were killed in action. The immense ruin of pagan days was filled with people. Detachments of Boy Scouts occupied the central part of the building, a place in pagan days used for the arena. The scouts were decked in their uniforms and carried rifles instead of the sword and spear of the ancient Roman gladiator. After the mass Monsignor Bartolomei delivered a stirring sermon in which he drew attention to the change in human thought which was able to convert this pagan amphitheater into a Christian temple.

### AGED BISHOP DIES.

Right Reverend John F. Cunningham, Bishop of the Diocese of Concordia, Kansas, who died last week from infirmities, due to old age, was seventy-nine years of age and for the past twenty years had been Bishop of Concordia. He was born in Tremore, County Kerry, Ireland, in 1842, and came to America as a youth. He took his classical work at St. Benedict's College, Atchison, and from there went to St. Francis Seminary, Milwaukee, where he was ordained priest August 8, 1865. His first appointment was to Fort Scott, where he remained till 1868, being transferred to Lawrence. During pioneer days the then Father Cunningham was very active in caring for the scattered settlers, and his efforts to relieve their suffering won for him numerous friends. On January 1, 1861, he was made Vicar General of the Leavenworth diocese and rector of the Cathedral. The See of Concordia being vacant, Father Cunningham was chosen Bishop and consecrated September 21, 1898.



DECORATED FOR WOUNDS.

Private Felice Crispi, Italy's most decorated warrior, who came to New York aboard the Franceses, bears the scars of 148 wounds. Crispi is one of the eighteen soldiers to receive the gold Medal of Honor. This is the highest Italian award. He also wears the French Croix de Guerre, the British D. S. C. and the Order of the Italian Chevalier of Honor. Crispi is on his way home. He lives in Ottawa, Canada.

### NATIONAL DELEGATES.

Unity Council, Y. M. C. of New Albany, at its meeting Tuesday night selected delegates and alternates to the National Y. M. C. convention, which will be held at Columbus, O., August 18. They are Fred C. Reisz, John Ponrich, Amadeo Hoelinger and G. E. Weinmann, delegates, and Carl Flinger, Fred Ritz, Joseph Zimmermann and Frank Welch, alternates. A special committee also was appointed to arrange for a campaign to increase the membership of the council to 500, which means an increase of 20 per cent. over the present membership. The committee consists of Andrew Stierlander, William Wentzell and Charles Collins.

### PEWEE VALLEY PICNIC.

The congregation of St. Aloysius church is making elaborate preparations for its annual picnic on Thursday, July 24, on the church grounds at Pewee Valley. All the Lagrange and Pewee Valley cars, leaving the Interurban Station every half-hour, will stop at the grounds. Among the features of the picnic will be the awarding of a Ford touring car. Tickets are ten cents and can be had at the Pike-Hickey Church Supply Co. and at Rogers Church Goods Co. Also a beautiful pedestal and statue of St. Joseph will be awarded. Tickets for this are ten cents or three for a quarter. The pedestal and statue are now on exhibition at the Pike-Hickey Church Supply Company, 312 West Jefferson street. Also a barrel of flour for the benefit of the church will be awarded. The congregation of St. Aloysius is situated at the intersection of the Louisville & Nashville railroad and the Louisville Interurban line. To this congregation are attached the missions of Oldham, Henry and Trimble counties and the Central Hospital for the insane at Lakeland. This little congregation is in urgent need of funds to carry on the work, and Father Boes, the pastor, hopes that his many friends in Louisville will come to the assistance of the mission by purchasing tickets on the automobile. A good substantial supper will be furnished for 50 cents. The ladies of the congregation are known the country over for the good meals they serve, and they hope to have many of our friends here to enjoy them. Ample accommodations for automobile parties will be had, and all prizes will be positively awarded at the picnic on the church grounds.

### HEITZ-ESTERLE.

One of the prettiest of summer weddings was that of Miss Edna Hertz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Adam Hertz, to Arthur Esterle, which took place Thursday morning, 8:30 June 26, at St. Bridget's church, with nuptial mass, the Rev. Father Jansen officiating. The church was artistically decorated with palms, ferns and large bouquets of white hydrangeas. The bride entered with her father, by whom she was given in marriage. Miss Lillian Keefe was the maid of honor and the bride's only attendant. Martin Duffy acted as best man. The ushers were William Krebs and Harry Esterle. Immediately after the ceremony breakfast was served at the home of the bride's parents on Barret avenue for the two immediate families. After the breakfast Mr. and Mrs. Esterle left for an extended trip to New York, Atlantic City and Washington.

### SANG FIRST MASS.

Sunday morning at 10 o'clock the Rev. James Willett, who was ordained by Archbishop Glennon in St. Louis, celebrated his first solemn mass in this diocese at St. James church, Bardstown road and Endsides, where his brother, the Rev. E. E. Willett, is pastor. Assisting the celebrant on this solemn occasion were the Rev. John T. Hill, pastor of St. Ann's church, and the Rev. Celestine Brey, pastor of Holy Cross church. The sermon was delivered by the Rev. Daniel A. Driscoll, secretary to Bishop O'Donnoghue. An augmented choir furnished special music and the altar and sanctuary were brilliant with lights and flowers. Father James Willett, who was ordained for this diocese, will receive his appointment shortly.

## SHATTERED

Sherman's Political Trick Transparent and Insinuations Rejected With Indignation.

Indiculous to Intimidate That Pope Benedict Seeks World Control.

Seeks Only the Freedom of the Papacy Itself From Political Domination.

WELCOMES A-PROMISING PEACE

We should have been happy to be able to take it for granted that the League of Nations, both in itself and in the arguments advanced for or against it, was a non-partisan issue. But Senator Sherman, for one, has shattered this dream. He knew, of course, that the league is President Wilson's one surpassing ambition, and he was aware also that President Wilson's solid phalanxes are principally in the Democratic South where the Catholic church has a comparatively meagre representation. Inject a doubt into the Southern mind that the league is partial to Catholics and you have dealt the worst possible blow both to the league and to the President. This is what Senator Sherman did by his speech in the Senate. Maybe, however, that the solid South is so firmly grounded in its faith in Wilson, and the Senator's political trick means to prevent the recurrence of such a catastrophe as has just horrified the world with its rivers of human blood, its tears of widows and orphans, its famine and pestilence, we should be shocked if the head of the Catholic church were not among the first to welcome a promising scheme of insuring a lasting peace. No need, then, of supposing that there was a hypocritical twinkle in the Pope's eye when he accepted a time when all Europe was Catholic and the Pope, as head of a united Christendom, was looked up to as the natural arbiter in disputes between kings and peoples, the time is long past.

If there was a time when all Europe was Catholic and the Pope, as head of a united Christendom, was looked up to as the natural arbiter in disputes between kings and peoples, the time is long past. In the recent world war, he did not act up to the splendid moral courage which the great pontiff of the world, Benedict XV, did the best he could under changed circumstances. But it is his fault that he is no longer the acknowledged arbiter of Christendom? If the Pope still claims temporal power over very limited territory it is precisely to safeguard the Papacy against the suspicion of being mixed up in politics. Were the Pope the subject of any earthly power, he would be a puppet in the hands of the rulers of any country where, because of the presence of Catholics, his spiritual jurisdiction extends, might justly or unjustly suspect the rulings of the Vatican as being influenced by that earthly potentate. Thereby the spiritual jurisdiction of the Pope would be jeopardized. It is not political domination over others that is at the bottom of the Pope's claim for a modicum of temporal power, but the freedom of the Papacy itself from political domination.

In the heydays of Pius IV's great popularity after his accession to the Supreme Pontificate, some Catholics wished to make him the political head of a united Italy. But that was not his mission. He refused and became an exile from a popular hero. Before Pius VII, might have had a share in the world's affairs if he had lent himself to the ambitions of the great Corsican. However, the Pope could become a prisoner at Grenoble but never a partner in political world domination. Senator Sherman enumerates the Catholic countries which, through the League of Nations, would become amenable to the dictation of the Vatican, viz.: Belgium, Bolivia, Brazil, Cuba, Ecuador, France, Guatemala, Haiti, Honduras, Italy, Nicaragua, Peru, Poland, Portugal, Uruguay, and Czechoslovakia. Let the honorable Senator be assured that in most of these countries the Vatican has had time to save a remnant of even its spiritual jurisdiction. The idea that, for instance, France, Italy, or Portugal would be inclined to submit to the political domination of the Papacy should have appeared to a student of history, which he boasts to be, as simply ridiculous.

### BISHOPS PROTEST.

Irish Bishops assembled at Maypooth last week adopted a resolution which says in part: "We have the rule of the sword, which is utterly unsuited to a civilized nation and supremely provocative of disorder and chronic rebellion. There have been acts of violence which we have deplored and they have sprung from this



REMOVAL OF EDITH CAVELL'S REMAINS.

Casket containing the body of Edith Cavell, martyr nurse, being carried from church in Brussels and placed on British gun carriage when cortege proceeded to the quay.

cause alone. For trifles which in any other country would be within the rights of all men, Irish people have been sent to jail under savage sentences. Enormous sums are raised annually by overtaxation, without any attempt beyond empty promises to provide a suitable scheme of reconstruction and development. In the interests of peace, order and morality this aggressive domination by England should stop, once and for all. The declaration recommends that the Irish follow Belgium's example of patience, "in like trials," and ends by expressing "our profound gratitude for the priceless service done Ireland and civilization by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States. The clergy and people of every denomination in America are nobly espousing the cause of Ireland at this turning point in her history." Cardinal Logue presided at the meeting and all the Bishops were present except Archbishop Walsh, who is ill.

### TAKES LOUISVILLE BRIDE.

The marriage of Miss Florence C. Jansen and Frederick D. Manning, of Buffalo, N. Y., was solemnized with nuptial high mass Monday morning at 7:30 o'clock at St. Bridget's church by the Rev. Father H. W. Jansen, uncle of the bride. The bride was attired in a white lace and net frock, with flesh-colored girdle and georgette hat and carried a shower bouquet of orchids and swansonia. Miss Corinne Jansen, sister of the bride, was the maid of honor and Frank W. Gainey, of Buffalo, was the best man. The ushers were Joseph Kirchdorfer and Raymond Kirchdorfer. The maid of honor wore an orchid shade organza frock with peacock blue sash and hat and carried ophelia roses tied with orchid tulle. The ceremony was followed by a breakfast for the two families and a few close friends at Cedar Strohme, the country home of the bride's parents. The out-of-town guests were D. F. Manning and Mrs. Manning, of Fitchburg, Mass. After a trip on the Great Lakes Mr. and Mrs. Manning will be at home at 1081 Elmwood avenue, Buffalo, N. Y.

### CHILDREN'S CRUSADE.

His Holiness Pope Benedict XV, has recommended the Children's Crusade to the Apostleship of Prayer as the general intention for the month of July. He urges the faithful to make extraordinary efforts, by prayer and good counsel, to enlist all Catholic children under the banner of the League of the Sacred Heart, because the little ones are especially dear to our Divine Lord, and because He knows that their association in this sanctifying confraternity during the tender and impressionable years of life will have a salutary effect upon their mature careers. "Suffer little children to come unto Me," are the words of our Savior himself. The Holy Father now appeals to us to gratify this loving desire of our Lord. Let us unite in prayer with the Holy Father and do our utmost to promote the Children's Crusade during this month.

### INDIANA IRISH ACTIVE.

Friends of Irish freedom Wednesday laid plans to continue organizing throughout Indiana in the interest of the independence of Ireland. At a mass meeting thousands of citizens of Irish descent voiced the demand of the Irish for complete separation from England. Two thousand dollars was collected to aid the organization. Judge Daniel E. Cahalen, of the New York Supreme Court; Judge John N. Wall, New Jersey; Patrick H. O'Donnell, Chicago, and Patrick J. Lynch, of the Indiana Supreme Court, were speakers.

### NATIONAL FUNERAL BENEFIT.

Mrs. Mary F. McWhorter, National President of the Ladies' Auxiliary, Ancient Order of Hibernians, has announced that the national funeral benefit fund, established by the National Board in January, 1919, has at the present time over \$7,000 in its treasury. This fund provides for the payment of \$250 from the national treasury on the death of a member, and in no way conflicts with the \$50 paid by the

## STINGING

Rebuff Given Carsonism in East Antrim by Independent Unionists.

Sir Edward's Man Badly Beaten in Most Strenuous Political Contest.

Will the Orange Factionist Chief Keep His Threat and Resign?

THERE WERE EXCITING SCENES

Carsonism has been given a severe rebuff in East Antrim. The result of the by-election for the seat vacated by the resignation of Lieut. Col. McCalmont was declared as below: G. B. Hanna (Ind. U.) ..... 8,714 Maj. W. A. Moore (Carsonite) 7,549 Legg (Liberal) ..... 1,778 Ind. Unionist majority ..... 1,165 The return of Hanna is a serious blow to Carsonism. During the contest—one of the most strenuous in the political history of Ulster—a great amount of bitterness was disclosed between the official and democratic wings of the Ulster Unionist group. Hanna's challenge was against the supremacy of the East Antrim Constitutional Association which, he held, had no representative authority for the selection of his opponent and the rejection of himself.

As an Orangeman he objected to "a stranger," chosen without regard to the wishes of the electorate which, as the figures show, is predominantly Unionist, being put forward by the clique, as he called it, which spoke on behalf of Sir Edward Carson. He did not, however, discard Sir Edward; indeed he and his friends submitted their views to that gentleman in London, as "arbitrator" between the parties, gave the advice. "Secure the return of Major Moore," and subsequently allowed members of his party to announce in the constituency that if Hanna were returned he might have to reconsider his position. Moreover, they instigated in the event he would retire from the Ulster leadership, and in any case they said, Hanna would not be recognized by the Ulster party. Personalities were freely indulged in at the meetings of the respective parties, and at some there were exciting scenes, with heckling, while stones and rotten eggs were features at gatherings addressed by Major Moore. Many orange lodges and sections of the Ulster Unionist organization supported Hanna, who was accused of being a Sinn Féiner and of wishing to destroy the Carson party. On the other hand, he was loudly asserted that he had been made to induce him to stand down by offers of a money sum and appointment as an R. M., and on one occasion he admitted that there was a prospect, if he were returned, of his surrendering his practices and Ballymena solicitor and entering a business career in London, where constant residence would enable him the better to serve the constituents.

Major Moore was largely commended for his service in the war with the Canadians and as a winner of the D. S. O. and a resolution in his favor was passed by the County Antrim Grand Orange lodge, of which, by the way, Hanna is a member. One of Hanna's platform statements was that Sir Edward Carson told him he knew nothing of Major Moore, but that a friend in Donegal had asked him to get "our Willie" a seat. Mr. Legg's campaign was conducted without chairman or organization in the regular sense of the word, but his progressive views on Irish government, as the figures indicate, would have considerable acceptance for an area like East Antrim, which touches on the Unionist suburbs of Belfast and embraces several of the seaside resorts on the coast from the city of Londonderry to the north. On the polling day posters were displayed with the words: "Moore and the Union. Hanna and Dis-Union. Which?" The poll was very exhaustive. It may be recalled that Lieut. Col. McCalmont at the general election defeated a Sinn Féin candidate by over 14,000 votes.

After the declaration, which took place at the County Court House, Belfast, Hanna, who was "chaired" from the steps of the building by an enthusiastic crowd, said he hoped that when he went to Westminster he would so conduct himself that the people of East Antrim would have the same pride in him as he would have in representing them. Addressing a meeting of his friends, Major Moore said that, although beaten, he was not disgraced. They all knew the principles he had fought for, and he was sure they would not be misunderstood. Mr. Legg not having obtained an eighth of the total poll, forfeits his deposit.

### QUETLY WEDDED.

Their many friends were pleasantly surprised when they learned that Miss Edna Hertz and William H. McLeavy, a popular clerk with the L. and N., had been quietly wedded on Friday evening at St. Charles church. Rev. Father Raffo performed the ceremony. The happy couple are now spending their honeymoon in the East, and after their return they will be at home at 518 West Breckinridge street.



MOST BE-MEDEDAL HERO.

Sergeant Victor Peterson, to whom has just been awarded by Gen. Pershing personally the Congressional Medal of Honor for having single-handedly captured an entire German battery of light field pieces and held it against all comers. For this performance France also gave him the Military Medal and the Croix de Guerre and he has been cited for the Victoria Cross, the British Distinguished Service Medal and the Belgian War Cross. Insert, Corporal Berger Loman, also medal winner.



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## ANNIVERSARY.

Today in celebrating Independence day we also celebrate the twenty-first anniversary of the Kentucky Irish American and rejoice on our birthday that many of our old friends and patrons that attended our christening are here to greet us "when we are twenty-one."

## DUPLICATE CASE.

Some of the English sympathizers in this country are denouncing the Senate for expressing sympathy for Ireland, but this class seem to forget that Ireland is trying to do just what the United States did one hundred and fifty years ago—get away from English control. Our forefathers fought and died for the same purpose that Ireland is striving for now. And the population of Ireland today is larger than that of our country in 1776.

## SUSPICIOUS ACT.

Old John Bull is having a hard time trying to explain to France why the German sailors were given such an easy opportunity to sink the entire German fleet, which was supposed to have been under close watch by English authorities. It is said, and reasonably so, that the French think there was a method in England's madness. Under the peace terms France would have been awarded some of the German warships and become a compotitor of England's large navy.

## CHECK TO FORCE.

Due to the looseness of the armistice terms under which German crews could remain on their vessels the powerful German navy is now at the bottom of the sea. Responsibility for the sinking of the fleet rests, of course, directly upon Great Britain. Aside from this aspect of the question this act is but an expression of the animosity still existing between the allies and the central powers. National ambition and commercial rivalry will continue to exist in spite of the terrible lessons so forcibly taught by the war. It is hardly possible that the mere signing of the peace treaty will do away with such desires, but it will tend to check, for a time at least, any attempt to dominate the civilized world by force.

## UNCONDITIONALLY.

Germany has signed unconditionally the peace conditions of the allied and associated powers. After having promised to meet the allied demands, the spirit of opposition apparently prevailed for a time, but this was overcome and now everything points to world peace that it is hoped will continue for all time. The German people accepted the treaty because they could not endure the alternative, but there is no concealment of the fact that they signed with the greatest reluctance. That the terms were severe was to be expected, but when we consider the bloodshed and carnage brought in by the war can we say they are unjust? We have longed for this day for the past five years. Let us now thank God it is at hand.

## BRIGHTER ASPECTS.

With the submission by President Wilson to Premier Clemenceau, President of the Peace Conference, of the Borch resolution, asking a hearing for the Irish delegates and the arrival in this country of Edward De Valera in the interest of the Irish republic, the Irish question has taken on a brighter aspect. The True Voice predicts that much information, hitherto denied us because of British censorship or control of the press, will be divulged to the American public, with the possible result that greater enthusiasm for the Irish cause may be aroused. The absurdity of England's oft-repeated assertion that the Irish question is a "domestic affair" is now being recognized by all fair-minded men. Spain's brutality in Cuba was a "domestic affair" until we convinced her that it wasn't.

## EXPLORE THE JOKER.

Under many and varied pretexts do the defenders of the Smith-Towner bill seek to elude the charge that this measure establishes an educational dictatorship at Washington. Escape can not be thus secured. What the Federal Government finances the Federal Government controls, and the Smith-Towner bill plainly gives the Secretary of Education the final disposition of the schools. The respective States may do precisely what they wish with their schools, provided always that they wish to do with their schools what the Secretary of Education wishes them to do. They are in the position of little Johnny, who is given a dime, together with permission to spend it as he likes and the strict injunction to drop it forthwith in his savings bank. According to Section 15 the Secretary has full power to withhold the Federal appropriation from any State, "whenever he shall determine that such appropriation or apportionment made to said State for the current fiscal year are not being expended in accordance with the provisions of this act."

These words are capable of only one interpretation, and they mean that the Secretary of Education is vested with final power to rule upon the competence of the local community to educate its children, and to enforce his ruling by the withdrawal of Federal funds. If the Secretary "shall determine" that certain courses of study, school programmes, methods of training teachers, although freely adopted by the State, are "not in accordance with the provisions" of the Smith-Towner bill, all Federal aid will be withdrawn, until courses of study, school programmes and methods of training teachers, acceptable to the educational dictator at Washington, are substituted. That is, not the local community, but the Federal Government, represented solely by a political appointee, shall fix finally the content of study and the methods of teacher training in any State. If this plan does not utterly destroy the local control of the schools, there is a very general misunderstanding of the terms "local" and "Federal" control. It has always been thought that "local control" meant that the schools were founded, financed and ruled by the communities in which they existed. Now we are asked to believe that the New York schools, for instance, are "controlled locally," when they are controlled by a bureaucrat in Washington. The Smith-Towner bill is "Prussianism," pure and simple.

## LEADER DE VALERA.

De Valera is here—here in America. We are to see him, to hear his message from his own lips, to hear the voice which Ireland obeys. The boastful fleets of Britain like bullies ride the seas. Grim dradnaught and swift destroyer lurk off the coasts of Ireland. But Irish skill and daring, in the hour of Ireland's need, outmatched the might of empire, outreached the lion's claws! Like an eagle from the clouds, suddenly he is among us. He comes, the elected President of a Government founded on the will and mandate of the Irish people, to ask the judgment of America, the unfailing champion of liberty. And how shall Americans of Irish blood honor the leader of their race? With cheers and shouting? With mere vows of devotion? These we give spontaneously; but they are easy to give. They cost no effort, they involve no sacrifice. Think what the men and women of Ireland have given—labor and fortunes, blood and tears! We are not called on to fight and die, to bleed and languish in prison, to risk fortune and family and life itself. We are asked only to give our heart, to give a little work and a little money; to provide an Irish Victory Fund with which the last grim struggle on the field of world-wide public opinion may be waged and won. The Irish republic is a reality; but so is the British army of occupation in Ireland—and so is the British propaganda in America. The lion will not lose his prey—the lion will not stay his pen—for all our wordy enthusiasm. But give our leaders the sinews of war—and the lie shall fall before the truth about Ireland, and America, knowing the truth, will break the grip of the lion.

## MEXICAN BANDITS.

The Ambassador of President Carranza declares that "the Government and people of Mexico consider as a violation of Mexican sovereignty the crossing of United States soldiers into Mexican territory." This declaration has been approved by the bandit chief. There is little to sovereignty that can not deal with a handful of outlaws. What does the Carranza Government want us to do? It certainly does not expect that we are going to stand by and allow a bunch of Mexican bandits to shoot into American homes. When a man shoots into your home you are going after him. You will not be so particular about the means, particularly when the murderer is sheltered by a neighbor. The Mexican Ambassador speaks of international law involved. It is a simple question of self-preservation not dictated by ordinary common sense. If the Carranza Government continues to show its inability to protect the border our Government will be compelled to teach it a salutary lesson.

## COMING EVENTS.

July 15—Annual picnic of St. Paul's church, Rivoli Park, Preston and Kentucky.

July 17—Euchre and lotto for benefit of Visitation Home, Fontaine Ferry Park, afternoon and evening.

July 15-16—Annual lawn fete of St. Ann's church on grounds, Seventh and Davies avenue.

July 24—Annual picnic of St. Aloysius church, at Pewee Valley, church grounds.

August 5—Annual picnic for Holy Trinity church on Park grounds, St. Matthews.

August 5—Annual picnic and chicken supper of Holy Trinity church, St. Matthews, on church grounds.

## THE CHILDREN.

The house that has the children is the house that has the joy in it. To me 'tis only home that has a girl or a boy in it. An' every one that's added only makes the place the cheerier; If children are the gifts o' God, the more He send the merrier. Sure, every little one I've had gave something to my bliss the more. An' every little baby face my lips were drawn to kiss the more, An' though I know the trouble an' the trial and the care they are, An' though I know how often wild, how wayward an' how queer they are, An' though 'tis many a night I've watched beside the little beds of them, An' held their little hands an' cooled the fevered little heads of them; An' though I know the early moods that fell upon the best of them—Can one who is unkind outweigh the love of all the rest of them? No, no, the trouble that I've had, through them, I'll never rue at all. An' sure, without the children now, I don't know what I'd do at all. —Doris A. McCarthy.

## SOCIETY.

Miss Durrett Olesby, of Prestonia, leaves shortly for France.

Miss Louise Smith, of Chicago, is the guest of Miss Irene McCabe, of Reservoir Park.

Mrs. Thomas J. Duffy left last week for Chicago, where she will spend the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Oetken motored to Salem, Ind., last Sunday on a visit to friends.

Miss Corinne Mazzoni left Wednesday for Fort Wayne, Ind., for a visit of several weeks.

Miss Mamie Hays spent several days last week with her sister, Mrs. William Grant, at Okaloosa.

Mrs. Mary Chawki, who has been ill at St. Mary and Elizabeth Hospital, is now getting along nicely.

Miss Lavinia Kampfmüller left Sunday for Chicago, where she will take a course at the Art Institute.

Mrs. John A. Ryan and son, Coleman Ryan, are in Philadelphia visiting Mrs. Ryan's brother, Philip Carney.

Charles J. Curran, of New York, arrived Sunday to join Mrs. Curran in a visit to Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Curran.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Farley have moved into the city from Jefferson town and taken apartments for the summer.

Miss Kate Lawler left Thursday for Nashville, where she will take a Government position until September.

Miss Vera Gannan has returned from St. Benedict's Academy to spend the summer at her home at Prestonia.

Mrs. L. O. Callaghan, Crescent Hill, had as a guest the past week her niece, Miss Theodora Coves of Prestonia.

Miss Mollie Lyons, of 414 East Market street, New Albany, has been spending the week visiting at Indianapolis.

Miss Mary Rose Shelley entertained informally Saturday afternoon in honor of Miss Inez Schmitt, of Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pooley, Parkview, had as guests the past week Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pooley, of Seymour, Ind.

Lawrence Hines, of St. Louis, is spending his vacation visiting his sisters, Misses Margaret and Katherine Hines, in Jeffersonville.

Miss Margaret Hanlon arrived this week to be the guest of Miss Helen McNair at the summer home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. I. McNair, on the Mansfield road.

Louisville people registered in New York last week were Mrs. R. R. Ireland, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Irvine, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Stokes, T. Robinson, A. W. Lieber, J. O. Oshorne and Joseph G. Rogers.

Miss Zada M. Fess and Frank L. Fenwick, well known and popular residents of New Albany were quietly married Monday evening at St. Mary's church. Rev. Father Seibert performing the ceremony.

Mrs. Emma Mattingly and grandchildren, Misses Louise, Mary Long and Patricia Hanlon, left Tuesday for Washington, where they will spend the summer at their cottage. They will be joined later by Col. P. J. Hanlon.

Frank X. Fust and bride, who were Miss Clara Arnold, will return next week from an extended Eastern honeymoon trip. Their marriage was solemnized with nuptial high mass at St. George's church, Rev. Father Weiss performing the ceremony.

The marriage of Miss Isabella Keyer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William F. Keyer, and Capt. Au-

gustus Kyle Flynn, of New York, was solemnized Thursday at noon in the rectory of St. Mary Magdalene's church. The Rev. Father Driscoll performed the ceremony in the presence of the two families and a few close friends. The bride was attired in peach colored George, ette crepe, with hat to match. Her corsage was forget-me-nots and lilies of the valley. Capt. Flynn served about two years in the States and overseas. Miss Kyle's marriage Kentucky loses another of her beautiful girls, for after an extended wedding trip Capt. Flynn and Mrs. Flynn will go to New York, where they will make their home.

## YOUR OWN HOUSE.

The "Own Your Own Home" movement in Louisville is progressing in the most favorable way. This is a matter that the people themselves can support. There is no better civic policy than to encourage local people to own their own homes. Several strong committees are at work and if the people themselves take hold the campaign will be a great success.

## KNIGHT BOOTED.

Sir Charles Allom, propelled by a dozen pairs of boots and the strong arms of guests, employees and the proprietor, came sailing out of the entrance of the St. Regis Hotel, New York City, on Thursday afternoon. He made the trip over the eight steps of the lobby entrance, hit the curb and rolled over. The handsome Briton rose, dusted his light gray tweeds, curled his small gray mustache, twirled his cane and left the scene. Here follows the story of the events preceding the hounding of Sir Charles, as told by a dozen guests at the St. Regis and the proprietor, R. M. Haan.

Several days before the management of the St. Regis granted permission to young women working for the Irish Victory Loan Committee of the Friends of Irish Freedom to establish a booth in the hotel. Sheila O'Reilly, a flaxen-haired colleen of sixteen, and Mabel Clayton, eighteen, placed a table in the lobby, midway between the desk and the dining room. Thursday, Sir Charles Allom, a frequent guest, dropped in. He is a member of the firm of White, Allom & Co., artist decorators, with offices in Fifty-second street, just off Fifth avenue, and a factory in West Fifty-second street. Sir Charles leaned with his back toward the hotel desk. His gaze fell squarely on the poster, headed: "The Irish Victory Drive for the Freedom of Ireland."

Sir Charles strode to the table behind which sat Sheila O'Reilly and Mabel Clayton.

Sir Charles—What is this for? Are you collecting funds for the Irish rebellion?

Miss O'Reilly—Why no; we are collecting money for the Irish Republic.

Sir Charles—(white with anger)—I'm an Irishman, and you do not know what you are talking about. You are being led by priests and the clergy.

Sir Charles turned and, whipping the air with his cane, encountered Joseph Haan, brother of the hotel proprietor. The loud protest brought the proprietor from the dining room. He became the target of the conversation.

Sir Charles—I object to that crowd. Proprietor Haan—What right, Sir Charles, have you to dictate to me in my hotel? They are here for a worthy purpose, and at my invitation.

Husky hotel porters appeared from all directions, waiters and willing guests. Sir Charles was seized by the scruff of the neck and a portion of the trousers. He was "lifted" toward the doorway. A reporter called at Sir Charles' office. After explaining his mission he was told Sir Charles was out and could not be seen for several days.

## REPORTS TO VATICAN.

The Associated Press cables from Rome that Archbishop Bonaventura Cerretti, Papal Under Secretary of State, returned from Paris Saturday and made a full report to the Vatican on his mission to the Peace Conference. Monsignor Cerretti had lengthy conversations with Pope Benedict and Cardinal Gasparri, Papal Secretary of State. Both congratulated him warmly on the success of his mission. The report dealt with changes made in the peace treaty regarding Catholic missions in former German colonies and the protection of their property. It also reported on other questions, including unofficial conversations with members of the various peace delegations at Paris and discussions regarding the League of Nations. Monsignor Cerretti expressed the greatest pleasure at the reception given him in Paris, especially by members of the American delegation, some of the Americans he had known during his residence in the United States a number of years ago.

## DOUBLE DEALING GEORGE.

Speaking at a meeting in London ex-Premier Asquith said: "We are engaged, and rightly and worthily engaged, in Paris at this moment in starting upon a new era of self-determined life for races and communities, none of them more gifted than the Irish, who have been too long denied the right and power to control their own development and destiny. It should be an object of paramount urgency with all true Liberals that we should do justice here at home to the Irish and insist upon the prompt fulfillment of the pledge to give Ireland self-government." Asquith's pronouncement has a significance for Lloyd George, which the latter can ignore. It is equivalent to a notice that the Liberal party does not approve of his double dealing, that it has nailed the old colors to the mast and will not tolerate any man who would haul them down to serve his own purposes. In other words, Lloyd George can not come back as boss, and George knows it.

## LABOR CONGRESS COMING.

The Southern Labor Congress, which is expected to bring many people from the Southern States, will be in session in this city for three days, September 13-16. This will be the first time this body has met in Louisville.



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## HIBERNIANS.

What They Have Been Doing the Past Week—General News Notes.

There will be on division meeting this coming week.

County President John Hennessy is getting quite a boom for Councilman on the Democratic ticket.

The special assessment is due since July 1 and should be paid at once.

Division 3 postponed its regular meeting last night because of the holiday.

This year divisions will send only one delegate each to the State conventions.

Division 6 of Indianapolis appropriated \$100 for the Indiana Irish Victory Fund.

Pennsylvania Hibernians will hold their State convention at Atlantic City on Tuesday, August 16.

Division 2 of Syracuse has gone over the top 100 per cent in the funds for the Friends of Irish Freedom.

By virtue of their office Presidents of divisions will be delegates to their respective State conventions.

The Hibernian ball team is again tied for first place and some tail routing is expected tomorrow when the boys meet the K. of C. Club.

The national convention at San Francisco will open with solemn high mass in St. Mary's Cathedral. Archbishop Hanna will preach the sermon.

A monster mass meeting was held Sunday under the auspices of Division 40 of New York City, for the purpose of demanding recognition of the Irish Republic.

Indianapolis Hibernians met Sunday with the County Board, when a committee of 100 was named to arrange for the reception of President De Valera on Tuesday.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of Indianapolis at a special meeting Friday night formed a committee of 100 to greet President De Valera and Judge Cobalan at Tomlinson Hall when they spoke there Tuesday night.

In New Orleans the arrival of President De Valera as a new stimulus to the Ancient Order, which has been laboring so faithfully to have the claims of this oldest Christianized nation of the earth recognized by the Peace Conference. They have sent him a telegram of felicitation upon his safe arrival and inviting him to visit the Queen City of the South.

## ST. PAUL'S PICNIC.

The Committee of Arrangements for St. Paul's church picnic reports everything progressing nicely for a record breaking crowd at the annual outing to be given at Rivoli Park on Tuesday, July 15, and are leaving no stone unturned to see that the guests on that day have one great and glorious time. Amusements are planned that will appeal to all, young or old.

## TRINITY'S MOONLIGHT.

In response to many requests Trinity Council, Y. M. C. A., will repeat its moonlight excursion and has secured the elegant Steamer East St. Louis for a trip up the river next Wednesday evening, the boat to leave the foot of Fourth street at 8:15 o'clock. A six-piece dance orchestra will furnish the dancing music and refreshments will be served. Tickets of admission fifty cents and children under twelve years of age admitted free.

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## RECENT DEATHS.

John M. Meyer, beloved husband of Margaret Meyer, and the oldest member of St. Boniface church, passed into eternal life Tuesday evening. His funeral took place Thursday morning.

Mrs. Helen Hochadel, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Hochadel, died after six weeks' illness at her home, 2312 West Walnut street, Wednesday morning. Three sisters, Misses Annie and Elizabeth and Mrs. George E. Glaser, survive her. Funeral services were held Friday morning at St. Mary's church, attended by many mourning friends.

Leo Angermeyer, twenty-nine years old, died Tuesday afternoon in his home, 2314 West Market street, of a complication of diseases. He had been in ill-health for some time, and had been confined to his bed for about two weeks. Deceased was one of the best known young men of the West End and for a number of years was a popular baseball player. He is survived by his mother, Mrs. Anna Angermeyer, and two brothers, Theodore and Albert Angermeyer. The funeral was held Thursday morning from St. Anthony's church.

Mrs. Elizabeth Bust, who lives near New Albany, on Tuesday received a telegram announcing the

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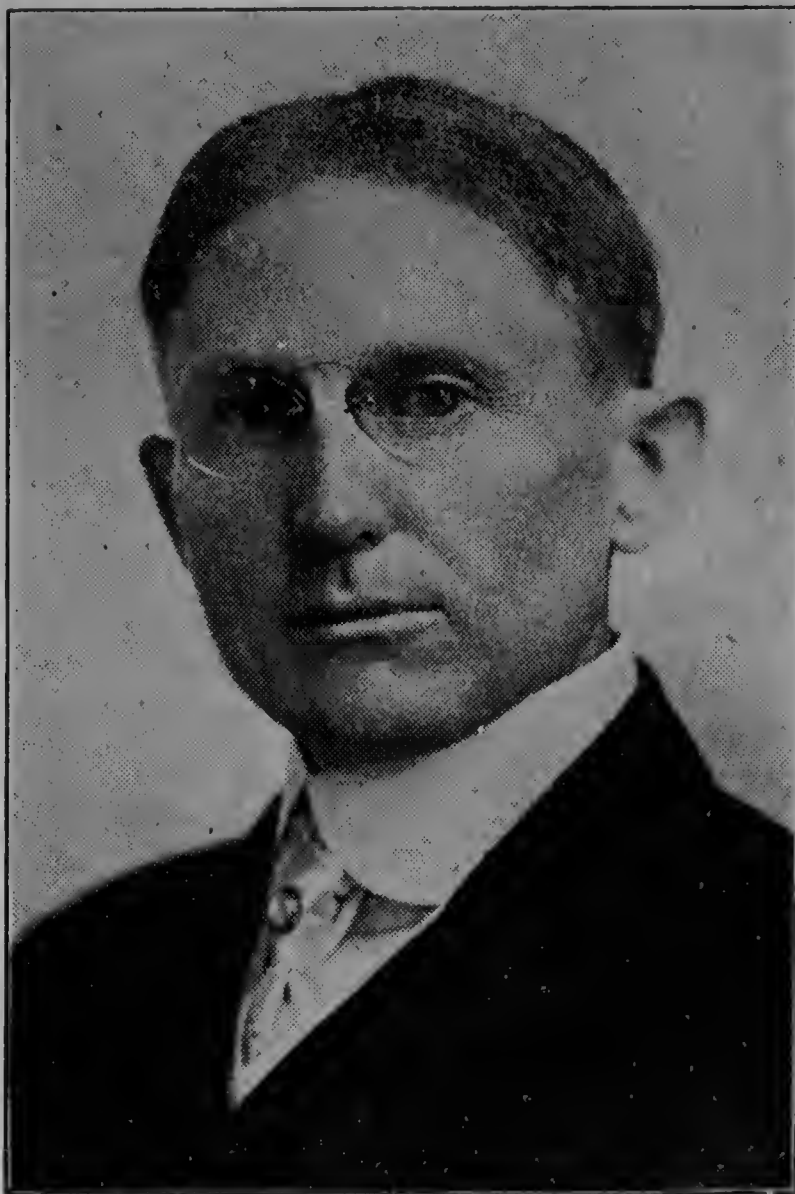
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death of her son, George E. McLaughlin, in his home near Holendale, Cal. Mr. McLaughlin, who was forty-two years old, was born and reared in New Albany. Fourteen years ago he moved to California, where he operated a large stock and grain ranch. His wife, a son, Andrew McLaughlin, his mother, and a sister, Mrs. Andrew Connell, New Albany, and a brother, John McLaughlin, New York, survive him.



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DELEGATES LISTEN TO CLEMENCEAU READ TERMS.

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## K. OF C.

Pope Benedict Receives Director Larkin and Praises Fighting Men of America.

Expresses His Admiration for President Wilson in First Authorized Interview.

World Nations Should Maintain Spiritual as Well as Physical Integrity.

RADICALISM NO NEW DANGER.

I stepped into the study of His Holiness the Pope, as any humble son of the church might—a little nervous but a mighty lot curious, with a great deal of reverence to balance the two. Archbishop Ceretti, the Pope's secretary, introduced Edward L. Hearn, of New Rochelle, Overseas Commissioner for the Knights of Columbus, and myself, while Monsignor Tibergien had the two of us under his wing. We had no sooner passed the picturesque Swiss Guards and gone on through the different magnificent rooms—some of the 7,000 chambers in the Vatican—on through the doorway of the deep, but not too imposing study, when Pope Benedict, dressed in white, came toward us, walking as far as the center of the room from a desk near the window. We met him there, knelt and kissed the pontifical ring, and then seated ourselves before him, one to the left and one to the right. My first impression was of a keen, alert personality. There is about Benedict XV. some facial quality that gives immediate notice of the sheer brainpower of the man. He has deep set, snappy black eyes, which look at you intently and then move swiftly to read another face in the group. He has quick little gestures of the hand while speaking, and a rich, nervous voice decidedly pleasant to hear.

The Pope spoke to us in French, rapidly at times, yet it was easy to follow him. He surprised me with his knowledge of the names of men prominent in New York and other American cities. First of all he spoke of Archbishop Hayes, with what interest he had followed the career of New York's Archbishop, from the time when he was a parish priest up until the day when the Pope himself decided to appoint him to the most important archdiocese in the new world. I had gone to the Vatican with credentials from the Archbishop. Pope Benedict was most enthusiastic over his appointment. His Holiness, I found, was most impressed with the future of America. He shared the astonishment of other keen students of the times at the war effort this country had made, and he reported that he had heard nothing but words of praise for the American fighting man.

"I have met many of your fighting men," said the Pope. "The Knights of Columbus secretaries bring them here for audiences. They always impress me with their fine, vigorous youth." His Holiness then went up until the day when the Pope himself decided to appoint him to the most important archdiocese in the new world. I had gone to the Vatican with credentials from the Archbishop. Pope Benedict was most enthusiastic over his appointment. His Holiness, I found, was most impressed with the future of America. He shared the astonishment of other keen students of the times at the war effort this country had made, and he reported that he had heard nothing but words of praise for the American fighting man.

the answer is especially apt, or of the nature of repartee, he smiles broadly and cries "Bravo."

The Pope is well aware of the baseless propaganda against the Holy See for its attitude during the war; but he is quite satisfied that time will prove the wisdom and justice of his course which was one of strict neutrality throughout and a firm condemnation of the breaking of the laws of war. The official journal of the Vatican has prepared an article stating the Pope's position throughout the war, which when read in cold blood by many of those who excitedly made accusations, the Holy See, during the war, will convince them that the Holy Father did everything in his power to mitigate the horrors of war for those poor unfortunates upon whom these horrors fell with usual violence. His Holiness was thoroughly acquainted with all that was being said concerning the League of Nations. He did not discuss the league, nor did he discuss the Peace Treaty, but he did apply with interest to those watching his peace-making. The Pope reflected for a moment, and then said quite suddenly: "You Americans are magnificent at organization. It would be splendid if here, in Italy, we could have such an organization as you represent. Such an organization would achieve wonderful things for Italy, would serve Italy just as the Knights of Columbus are serving the United States." He spoke of what a good impression the Knights of Columbus Club next to the Minerva Hotel in Rome had made upon the Catholics of Rome. He hoped that some such club could be permanently maintained. The people of Rome were profoundly affected, he said, by the soldierly conduct of the American soldiers and sailors who were the guest of the Knights of Columbus in Rome, and this was true of all other parts of Italy where Americans had been located.

His Holiness expressed delight when I told him that Cardinal Mercier intended to visit the United States as the guest of the Knights of Columbus. His admiration for Cardinal Mercier is unbounded. "I am sure America will receive him with open arms," he said. Then the Pope spoke in general terms of the coming peace. He hoped and prayed it would be worthy of the millions of young men who had perished in order that it might come to the

world. Reverting again to his visitors he spoke entertainingly of Rome, indicating some of the magnificent churches we should visit before leaving Rome. He then went on to describe his pleasure in meeting President Wilson and also seemed amused again when I mentioned that America had never been given an opportunity to see that meeting registered in the almost countless moving pictures of the Vatican about the only place uninvaded by the movie man. He has been in the gardens, but never in the sanctum sanctorum.

The Pope arose as we arose, and I remember being surprised at his small stature. During the entire conversation I had gathered somehow a subconsciousness that I was talking with a man physically as big as his brain. His Holiness gave me a particular blessing for the K. of C. and then praised warmly the vast reconstruction and employment work undertaken by the Knights. He selected some souvenirs from a small bookcase and gave them to Mr. Hearn and myself, inviting us to his private chapel for mass in the morning. Then he playfully bade us "good morning" in both English and French. "You are going to be in Rome for some time," said His Holiness, "so we shall see much of each other and the next time we shall talk in Italian." Outside we read the time as 12:47. We had entered the papal study at 12:15. It was rather bewildering to leave the presence of the man who holds the spiritual allegiance of more than three hundred million of Christians.

On the following morning we attended mass in the Pope's private chapel, the modest little chapel in Rome, containing strangely with the great monumental churches with their rich marbles and precious paintings and other ornaments. From the Pope's hand we received communion, and after the mass he knelt through another mass of thanksgiving and then passed down the center aisle of the chapel with the great monumental churches with their rich marbles and precious paintings and other ornaments. From the Pope's hand we received communion, and after the mass he knelt through another mass of thanksgiving and then passed down the center aisle of the chapel with the great monumental churches with their rich marbles and precious paintings and other ornaments. From the Pope's hand we received communion, and after the mass he knelt through another mass of thanksgiving and then passed down the center aisle of the chapel with the great monumental churches with their rich marbles and precious paintings and other ornaments.

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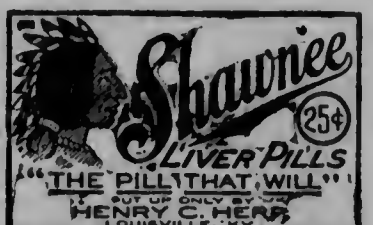
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## BILLS PENDING IN THE SENATE

At the annual meeting of the Catholic Educational Association recently held in St. Louis, a paper prepared by His Eminence Cardinal O'Connell, Archbishop of Boston, treating of "The Reasonable Limits of State Activity," was read by the Right Rev. Msgr. John B. Peterson, rector of St. John's Ecclesiastical Seminary, of Boston, Mass. In this paper the Cardinal takes up the issue frankly with those who advocate centralization of government, particularly as applying to education. He argues in a straightforward manner, that undue centralization is not only bound to prove harmful to the cause of education in general and religious education in particular, but that it is also essentially undemocratic, and should therefore be opposed from the viewpoint of citizenship in a democracy. "A glance back over the last fifty years of our national existence," he says, "will confirm the view, that we, led on by desire for centralized control, are drifting away from democratic government and, trespassing upon the rights and liberties of the citizens, are assuming functions never anticipated and never intended when the constitution was written."

The Cardinal, as indicated above, applies his arguments also to the province of education, and deplores the tendency towards centralization in that field in particular. His thought was taken up by the Educational Association, which in its general meeting expressed its sentiments on the question of centralization as applied to the specific sphere in which the association is interested, in the following resolution: "In accordance with the words of the Holy Father, we insist upon the freedom of Christian education and uphold the rights of parents against any tendency to import into this country 'the principles or systems which, while vaunting unlimited liberty falsely so-called, in reality diminish, within and in every way hamper the liberty of religious and Catholic parents as regards the education of their children.' These two declarations are par-

ticularly timely, now that the Smith and Towne education bills are pending in the Senate and the House of Representatives of the Congress. These bills favor the creation of a Department of Education, as another arm of the Federal Government, and thus foster the tendency towards a dangerous centralization. The expression of the Cardinal and the resolution of the convention therefore deserve special attention. The logical conclusion to be derived from conviction based on such declarations is that the tendency towards centralization, particularly in the matter of education, should be opposed. Since the bills menacing the rights of parents and the freedom of education are still pending in Congress, there is yet an opportunity to defeat this injurious legislation by prompt, persistent and organized effort. An enumeration of arguments against the Smith and Towne bills is offered in a pamphlet prepared for and published by the Central Bureau of the Central Society. The pamphlet is entitled: "The Freedom of Education," and is intended for gratis distribution. All who are interested in the defeat of the bills threatening the freedom of education will do well to apply to the Central Bureau (201 Temple building St. Louis), for copies of the pamphlet. It should serve to inspire many to act in the interest of the preservation of the rights of parents, of the rights of the individual States, and the no less sacred rights of the church.

## WHEN OWNER DIES.

The Savings Division of the United States Treasury Department has made public the terms by which the Government will make payment on war savings stamps in the event of the owner's death. The terms provide that if the decedent leaves a will which is admitted to probate, or if he dies without making a will and the estate is administered in court, payment of the decedent's savings certificate shall be made only to "duly appointed representative of the estate." Administration will be required before payment is made on a savings certificate in all cases where the gross personal estate of the deceased owner exceeds \$500 in value, unless the estate of such decedent is exempt from administration under the laws of the deceased person's State. Should there be no legal representative of an estate the certificate will be paid to persons who are equitably entitled in the opinion of the Secretary of the Treasury in the following order of classes: Husband, wife, next of kin, or other person who has preferred claims against the estate, or creditor for funeral expenses or expenses of the decedent's last illness.

## ANOTHER FOR IRELAND.

The Cincinnati City Council passed a resolution at its meeting last week urging the United States Congress to adopt a resolution recognizing the Republic of Ireland. The resolution was introduced by Hon. Michael Mullen at the request of the Associated Irish Organizations of Cincinnati and vicinity.

## SENATOR SHERMAN.

One does not expect a great deal of sanity from Senator Sherman, of Illinois. It is almost an insult to our readers to comment on any action of this gentleman. His latest outbreak is such an insult to Catholics that we hesitate to pass it by. In answer to a letter from Dean Ballentine of the University of Illinois, requesting him to endorse the League of Nations, he charges that there is danger that the Vatican become the dominating power in the league. He also reminds the Dean that if he dominate the league the world will go back to the Middle Ages. It would be interesting to ask Senator Sherman through what particular nation the Pope is going to dominate the League of Nations. We do not believe that the Senator would go so far as to say that the Pope is going to dominate the United States. Look to Europe. Has the Pope dominated the Tiger of France? It is true that practically all the people of France are Catholics, but it is equally true that Clemenceau is their acknowledged leader and we have not learned that the Premier is a man so easily dominated and certainly not by the Pope. The people of Italy are Catholics, but the Italian Government is in open opposition to the Catholic church. The only other Catholic nations in Europe are Austria and Spain. It is true that Austria is only a secondary power. This much for the charge that Senator Sherman so stupidly makes.

Suppose that the Pope should have a large influence over the League of Nations. The attitude of the Vatican throughout the war has plainly indicated that the Pope knows only one thing as between nations and that is justice. When appealed to by either side that he always stood for a just peace and a just peace. It used its every effort to further an honest and lasting peace. It favored neither side. It condemned acts of atrocity on one side just as quickly as it did on another. If Senator Sherman would judge the Vatican in the lights of history of two thousand years he might be well satisfied with the League of Nations if the Vatican did dominate. The Catholic church has always stood for a just peace and the rights of civilization.

Few people take Senator Sherman seriously. He certainly has not helped himself or his cause by insulting the Catholic people of the world. It is unfortunate that a man of his type should occupy a seat in the greatest deliberative body in the world.

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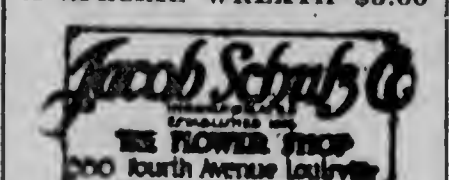
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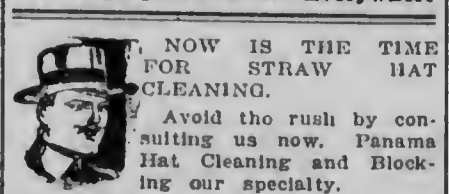
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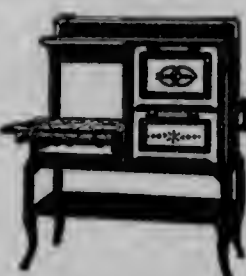
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## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Late News That Will Interest Members Here and Elsewhere.

At Oneida, N. Y., a class of 100 was put through the third degree last week.

Fifty new applications were read at last week's meeting of Union Council at Syracuse.

Ninety-five candidates became members of the order at the Sunday exemplification at Opelousas, La.

Members of the order at Columbus, Neb., are jubilant over the initiation of another class of fifty candidates.

Indianapolis concluded its membership drive Sunday night, conferring the major degrees on a class of nearly 100.

During the present membership drive, started last January, 600 new members have been added to the order at Indianapolis.

A class of 200 candidates awaiting the first degree at Syracuse has been divided into two sections, the first receiving the initial honors Tuesday night.

Members of New Albany Council made an excellent showing at St. Mary's church Sunday morning, where they received holy communion in a body.

When it came to a vote on the resolutions asking for the recognition of Ireland as one of the free and independent nations of the world in the California State convention at Eureka, there was not a dissenting ballot, and the unanimous resolution was received with the thunderous cheers of the convention.

Voicing their sentiments unanimously in favor of the recognition of the new Irish Republic, reviewing their war work and making plans for the future welfare of returning soldiers and sailors, the Knights of Columbus of California closed their annual convention at Eureka in a manner befitting the past efforts of this great Catholic Order.

## WORTHY CHARITY.

A euchre and lotto will be given at Fontaine Perry Park on Thursday afternoon and evening, July 17, for the benefit of the Visitation Home, 15 West Walnut street. This home for working girls under the direction of Sister Mary Gertrude and the other Sisters in charge is doing a splendid and noble work, and those desirous of aiding a worthy charity should take advantage of this opportunity to help the cause.

## MONTHLY MEETING.

The monthly meeting of the Queen's Daughters, postponed a week in honor of the Fourth of July and the orphans' picnic, will be held next Friday. Preparations are being made and work started for the Christmas Shop, which will be given as usual in December.

## OUT OF WAR.

Thomas M. Scanlan, who saw eighteen months' active service with the A. E. F. and was with the Thirty-eighth Infantry during the Chateau-Thierry and Argonne Forest drives, has been released from the army and spent last week visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Scanlan, 3224 West Chestnut street. Upon his return to New York he was offered a fine position, and from here left for the great metropolis, where he will make his home.

## RETURNS FROM FRANCE.

The Rev. Francis Martin, who was assistant at St. Patrick's church before going overseas as army chaplain with the A. E. F., has returned from France and received his discharge. He arrived home Friday and has spent the week receiving the greetings of his Louisville friends.

## CALLED BY DEATH.

Miss Katherine McCarthy, a popular young girl of the West End, died Wednesday night at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. McCarthy, 3226 West Chestnut street. Miss McCarthy was a telephone operator until stricken with tuberculosis.

## SEVERELY INJURED.

Mary McGinty, fourteen years old, who lives at 1611 Rowan street, was severely injured Wednesday night at 8:30 o'clock when she was struck by a south-bound Bank-street car on Nineteenth street, in front of Boone square. The girl, with several contusions, was coming out of the playground. She was removed to her home and given prompt medical attention.

## FINEST IN FRANCE.

The stained glass of the Cathedral of Le Mans is said by critics to be the most beautiful in France.

## REPUBLICAN

Reform Administration Designates the Near Mayor as Their Jonah.

Ex-Democrats Will Be Barred In Future and Machine Knocks Them.

Colored Republican Gamblers and Holdups Coming Into Their Own.

## PETTY'S THREE RESOURCES.

The local Republican "reform" administration has only been in power a year and a half, yet the Seamy machine leaders have begun to look around for the goat to blame all the failures of the administration and those failures are wholesale. The Board of Works has made a mess out of the garbage question and knowledge that the taxpayers will have to look to the heavens to clean the streets, as the street cleaning fund is about exhausted. The Board of Safety can't explain why the Board of Fire Underwriters classes the "hick" fire department as a third-rater, this classification also being the city's rating from a fire standpoint, and as far as explaining or apologizing for the numerous breaks of the Keystone police the poor old board long ago gave it up as a bad job, and now leaves Chief Petty to handle the situation, and the Colonel tries to cover up the shortcomings of the seamy looking ex-motormen and conductors with his lightning change artist stunt of "we're putting on ex-soldiers," "police jazz bands," or "a person for the police." The Shelbyville Chief got away with the camouflage for a while, but the cry now goes up from one end of town to the other, "cut out the bunk and give us some real police."

The failure of the "reform" administration has even spread to the Park Board, and a visit to the parks of which we were all proud, is enough to convince one that our parks have gone back fast. Dirty and unkempt, a appearance with long unsightly grass, and a few park police are there and a visit to Shawnee Park on Saturday and Sunday emphasizes this. On Sunday, particularly this is noted. There are averages of 10,000 people around the amateur ball games on six diamonds and one lone copper is supposed to patrol the grounds and keep the crowds from interfering with the games. The result is unsatisfactory to players and spectators, and dangerous to those who are forced to crowd close to see the plays.

As stated at the outset, the "reform" crowd is looking for the goat and immediately a new Mayor, Smith, on whom they now place the failure for the whole administration. This is seen in the action of the General Council members, who are frequently taking a rap at any pet member of the Mayor and the word has gone forth to say that he is an old ex-Democrat anyway and the Republican party should not be charged for his sins. The near Mayor's hunk statements about putting the war on the shoulders of the Mayor, and long flowery expressions meaning nothing in particular, have begun to sour on the machine leaders. They say further that at the next election they are going to get rid of the ex-Democrat holding jobs and that they don't need their help to win the next time, as with the election machinery and the awful horde of negroes piling in here daily their success is assured.

Many negroes coming to the land of license and plenty one has only to look around and see the vicious looking negroes on all sides, negroes that live by crime and gambling and can ply their trade in safety by supporting the Republican "reform" machine. Daily we read of negro murders, shootings and holdups and daily and nightly the City Hall press bureau muzzles many a story of negro crimes. The machine does not want to break on the Keystone cops to leave the colored Republican voters alone, as the poor old Keystoneers are badly hacked by the "had coons" and have not the slightest idea of trying to break on the cops. The shooting from the house tops last week was an example. After three or four of the comedy cops had cornered the negro who was taking pot shots at them all kinds of excuses were given for the different districts to help in catching one man.

The hundreds of spectators who gathered looking at the attempt of the Keystoneers certainly had fun every minute. The negro would make a bluff at shooting from behind a chimney and the poor old comedy cops would trip one another in getting behind a point of safety. Finally a real policeman of the few left appeared on the scene and got his man right off the reel with a well directed shot. The thought occurred to many, why didn't they call Col. Petty instead of the reserves.

The Chief is a man of resources, as he has proved, and it is a pity he would have brought the offender down begging for mercy. The Colonel would have one of his psychology lecturers hypnotize him with one of the police talks, or had his police parson pray for him to come down, and if these failed he could have turned the police jazz hand loose and had them play. The last punishment is hard to contemplate, but there are times law can not be kept with mercy. We'll bet on the hand to bring anyone to their knees.

Speaking of the numerous holdups occurring lately where the victim was beaten up and then arrested by the Keystoneer who came too late, one of our readers makes an apt suggestion. He says that after arresting the victim for disorderly conduct, as is done now, why not add the additional charge against him of "resisting the highwayman." Sounds logical, doesn't it? By the way, one of the Keystoneers was forced to resign his job the other day and he hasn't figured it out yet. He has

been flirting and hobnobbing with a dusky dame lately, and after being caught several times drinking with his colored lady in a negro saloon just north of Center and Broadway, was forced to resign. The poor old Keystoneer is dumfounded. He says: "These colored people are electing us to power and we should treat 'em good darned nice, I tell you."

## WILL BUILD HOME.

Jeffersonville Council, Knights of Columbus, is seeking a desirable site in that city upon which a fine club house and home building will be erected.

## BEFORE FRANCE.

The Irish cause has been laid before Clemenceau. Now after all Ireland did for France the world will be in a position to judge how much of a real Frenchman Clemenceau is and how much gratitude there is in "La Belle France."

## ARCHBISHOP MUNDELEIN.

The Most Rev. George W. Mundelein, Archbishop of Chicago, on Wednesday celebrated his forty-seventh birthday. Archbishop Mundelein was born in Brooklyn. His archdiocese is one of the largest and most progressive in the United States.

## EYES TURN WEST.

With the cause of Irish freedom gaining great headway each day, and the peoples of the world giving their support to the Irish Republic and demanding that Ireland's independence be recognized, it is certain that the deliberations and activities of the Hibernian national convention will be freighted with historical significance and that the eyes of the world will be focused on the San Francisco gathering of Ireland's loyal friends in America. Some of the most brilliant leaders of the Irish race will take part in the discussions.

## HARDINSBURG.

The wedding of Miss Kathleen Hobbes and J. Lindsey McGary, both of Hardinsburg, took place in St. Romain's church last week. The ceremony was performed with the nuptial mass by the Rev. James F. Norman. After a trip to St. Louis they will make their home with Mrs. McGary's father, John T. Hohen. Mr. McGary was one of the first volunteers from Hardinsburg and was in the army service two years.

## LOUISVILLE VS. COLUMBUS.

The Colonels left for Columbus late night and will tackle that team in a four game series beginning today, and Manager Pat Flaherty claims he will even up with the "Tinker crew," which has proven a hard nut for the Colonels to crack this season, as the Columbus club has been returned the winner in six out of the last nine games played. In addition the Columbus club has been going like a house afire the past few weeks and dislodged the Indianapolis club from third place. After the four games at Columbus the Louisville club will go to Indianapolis for a series of four games, then returning home for a long stay, beginning July 15 with St. Paul, and the other three Western teams coming in turn. The fans have shown their appreciation of the team's spirit for the pennant by attending in large numbers, the big crowd last Sunday reminding one of the pre-war times. Owner Knehekamp and Business Manager Neil have shown that they deserve well by their refusal to sell Hendryx and Davis, and the public will back them by liberal support.

## UNJUST TO LABOR.

That the abrupt and absolute denial of beer and light wines under the war-time prohibition law on the first of July would work an unjust hardship upon the working class and speed disaster for the cause of temperance is the opinion expressed by Cardinal Gibbons in a letter to Charles H. Duell, Jr., a New York attorney. The Cardinal's letter was one of a number received by Attorney Duell from distinguished writers and leaders during an investigation of the prohibition issue for McClure's Magazine. His correspondents were men and women whose opinions on political and economic questions always have commanded respect, and they are unanimous in the belief that a sweeping prohibition measure, abolishing light beverages as well as those containing a high alcoholic percentage, would be a grave mistake. Cardinal Gibbons wrote as follows:

"To present to the people of the country the issue of light wines and beer, and all the swelling of the saloon of the old type, meets with my hearty approval. For more than fifty years I have preached temperance, being convinced that the virtue of temperance, in regard to the free will and God-given liberty of man, and at the same time makes for merit and reward. I am persuaded that the denial of light wines and beer will be hurtful, if not disastrous, to the cause of temperance and bring contempt upon the prohibition law. I know the good qualities of the American people, which none esteem more highly than myself. I recognize the worth of that large laboring element, the very backbone of our country, and at all times am willing to join hands in every fair and honest movement. If therefore the prohibition law can be so interpreted as to permit the use of light wines and beer, I feel sure it will be an efficient measure for temperance and meet with the approval of the majority of our citizens."

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## TWIN CITY LEAGUE.

For the second time this season the Twin City Baseball League registers a triple tie in the pennant race, this resulting from the games of last Sunday when the dope was upset in a case or two. Manager James K. of C's sprung the first surprise by winning easily over the Mackin Council boys in an 8 to 2 game. Weber of the Knights holding "Sheeks" Y. M. L. team to four hits. The Shawnee Athletic Club, which has been the hard luck club of the league this year, sprang surprise No. 2 by defeating the fast X. Alumni team in an 8 to 4 game. "Boots" Murphy, manager of the Hibernian team, put his team in the running again by securing a 12 to 3 contest against the California club, and has his boys set for a hot contest against the K. of C. club tomorrow on Diamond No. 2. X. Alumni will play the California team and Mackin will meet the Shawnee club. The standing to date:

	Won	Lost	Pct
Mackin Council.....	5	2	.714
Hibernians.....	5	2	.714
Knights of Columbus..	5	2	.714
X. Alumni.....	4	3	.571
Shawnee Athletic Club..	3	3	.500
Californians.....	0	7	.000

## ST. ANN'S LAWN PETE.

The congregation of St. Ann's church is busy planning for the two days' lawn fete to be given on the church grounds, Seventh and Davies avenue, Tuesday and Wednesday, July 15 and 16, and an invitation is being extended to the friends of Father Hall's parish throughout the city to be present and spend a pleasant afternoon and evening.

## PRIEST FIFTY YEARS.

The Right Rev. William E. Starr, pastor of Corpus Christi church, Baltimore, celebrated his golden jubilee last Sunday. On Monday the Monsignor rounded out the fiftieth year of his priestly career, having been ordained in the Cathedral, on June 20, 1869, by the late Archbishop Spalding.

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